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Thanks, Jacquelyn for your inquiry about a CAG. I will be glad to discuss that process with you and what a CAG includes. EPA actually spoke with several Highlands citizens early on about forming a CAG (I am looking for their names..). Yes, we know Marie well from the Brio site cleanup. I believe that CAG included some of the PRPs. But we can discuss the agency's criteria for CAGs. There are requirements.

The CAC has not met recently. That group was initiated by Harris Co. officials. And most of the discussion is the same we cover at the Community Meetings. However we could post information on the Web site from those whenever there is a meeting. Right now we are all focused on the Proposed Plan work.

We will follow up with you.

Thanks.

**From:** Jacquelyn Young [mailto:jeyoung@texanstogether.org]  
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Hi Donn,

I would like to talk with you about setting up a Community Advisory Group (CAG) for the San Jacinto River Waste Pits. The community often directs their concerns in my direction and I think it would be beneficial if we could have some sort of structured group to address their concerns.

Recently, the community brought to my attention poles or pipes that are new additions to the submerged portion of the pit. I have also been informed that a crew was on the pits Monday or Tuesday of last week. I think these recent concerns serve as a perfect example of why we need a CAG.

I had lunch recently with Marie Flickinger, from the Brio Site, and she mentioned that a CAG would be extremely helpful to the SJRWP because of the large amount of ongoing community concerns.

I would also like to inquire about the San Jacinto Community Awareness Committee (CAC). It is to my understanding that the CAC meetings are not open to the public and that community members cannot attend. Is there any way that the actual community can find out information regarding the CAC's review of community concerns and public issues? I see on the EPA website there are minutes for CAC meetings from other sites, but I was unable to find any details for a CAC on the SJRWP.

I look forward to hearing from you.



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Thank you,

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